

Amendment No. 1 to SB3617

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3617*

House Bill No. 3433

by deleting Section 1 of the introduced bill in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504(a), is amended by deleting subdivision (9) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(9) Official health certificates collected and maintained by the state veterinarian pursuant to rule chapter 0080-2-1 of the department of agriculture shall be treated as confidential and shall not be open for inspection by members of the public. With respect to records maintained in the animal disease diagnostic laboratory operated by the department of agriculture, such information that identifies the owner or caretaker of an animal, the location of an animal, or the veterinarian submitting the sample to the laboratory shall be treated as confidential and shall not be open for inspection by members of the public.